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DATE: January 10, 2006

TO: ALL INTERESTED PARTIES

FROM: CHARLENE ZETTEL, Director
Department of consumer Affairs

**SUBJECT: INFORMATION REGARDING THE SUNSET OF THE CALIFORNIA
STATE ATHLETIC COMMISSION EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2006**

By operation of law, Business and Professions Code section 18602, which creates the California State Athletic Commission, shall become inoperative on July 1, 2006, and as of January 1, 2007, is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, which becomes operative on or before January 1, 2007, deletes or extends the dates on which it becomes inoperative and is repealed. Further, Business and Profession Code section 101 (b)(1) authorizes the Department of Consumer Affairs (Department) to be vested with all the duties, powers, purpose, responsibilities and jurisdictions of the California State Athletic Commission (Commission) and its executive officer. Vested with such authority, the Department can initiate necessary changes, monitor the licensing program and appoint an administrator to carry out the mission of the program as the Legislature intended.

As a bureau within the Department, the licensing and regulatory functions of the Commission will continue uninterrupted at the following two locations:

California State Athletic Commission

Sacramento:

1424 Howe Avenue, Suite 33
Sacramento, CA 95825-3217
Phone: (916) 263-2195
Fax: (916) 263-2197

Los Angeles:

5757 W. Century Blvd., GF-16
Los Angeles, CA 90045
Phone: (310) 641-8668
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The Commission, however, will be disbanded and the Department will create an advisory committee. All bureaus operating under the authority of the Department maintain an advisory committee for the purpose of making policy recommendations on licensing and regulatory issues to the Director.

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Consumer protection is the ultimate goal of the licensing and regulation of the profession of boxing. The Department is confident that a smooth transition from a Commission to a bureau can be achieved by making consumer protection a top priority, carefully evaluating the issues, and working closely with stakeholders.

Toward this end, the Department would like to invite all interested parties to an informational meeting on January 25, 2006, from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., at the following location:

**Junipero Serra State Office Building
Conference Room, 2nd Floor
320 West Fourth Street
Los Angeles, CA 90013**

Please contact Kim Frankland, of my staff, by telephone at (916) 574-8207, or via email at kim_frankland@dca.ca.gov, if you plan to attend the informational session.

I trust that this information provides you with the assurance that the Department will handle the transition in a professional and responsible manner. Should you have additional questions, please contact Antonette Sorrick, Assistant Deputy Director, at (916) 574-8200.

cc: Christopher Mears, Chairman
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